Kings Worthy Primary School

Year 5 Writing Overview 2022 - 2023



	Persuad	e Inform	Entertain I	Discuss	
Autumn 1 Vikings and Anglo-Saxons Book box available in library	Autumn 2 Sweden Space book box available in library	Spring 1 Harry Potter	Spring 2 Sustainability Ninjas	Summer 1 Mayans Book box available in library	Summer 2 Brazil Book box available in library
Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1
Text Driver BeowulfBeowulfWIRDONE TO ENTERTIONPurpose: To entertainAudience: Year 4Outcome: Sagas for displayParallel TextsThe Weirdstone of Brisingamen – Alan Garner Beowulf: Dragon Slayer – Rosemary Sutcliff Beowulf - Seamus HeanyDrop in WritesConclude account of the battle between Beowulf and Grendel. Newspaper report on the fight between Grendel and Beowulf. Description of Grendel's lair.	Text Driver500 Word Story CompetitionCompetitionEventsPurpose: To entertainAudience: 500-word story judges, children in the classOutcome: To write an entertaining story for the 500-word story competitionParallel Texts Read other winning stories from previous years.	Text DriverHarry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone J.K.RowlingJ.K.RowlingImage: Stone J.K.RowlingImage: Stone J.K.RowlingImage: Stone Image: Stone StonePurpose: To entertainAudience: Recipient of the HowlerOutcome: Children to create their own Howler to one of the characters in Harry Potter. Show clip of the Howler.Parallel Texts Harry Potter and the Chamber of SecretsDrop in Writes Instructions Diary in the life of a wizard / witch	Text Driver The Majestic Plastic Bag A Mockumentary Jeremy Konner Purpose: To persuade Audience: People interested in documentaries / adults Outcome: Children to create their own voiceover for 'The Majestic Journey of the ' Parallel Texts Documentaries by David Attenborough I Asked the River – Poem by Valerie Bloom Drop in Writes Debate – reducing the amount of plastic. Letter to local council about pollution in KW.	 Text Driver Wonderland: Alice in Poetry Purpose: To entertain Audience: Write to Joseph Coehlo to share poetry. Outcome: Children to explore the use of nonsense words in Jabberwocky and Joseph Coelho's 'The Ursin Fight'. Create own nonsense poem. Parallel Texts Other nonsense poems e.g. 'Jabbermockery', 'Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Bat'. Drop in Writes Write nonsense poetry to prose 	Text DriverThe Great Kapok TreeImage: The Great Kapok TreeImage: The Great Colspan="2">Image: The Great Colspan="2">The Great Colspan="2">The Great Colspan="2">The Great Colspan="2">The Great Colspan="2">The Great Colspan="2"Purpose: To discuss / to persuadeAudience: People of the Amazon / large companies in charge of deforestationOutcome: Create a discursive or persuasive text about deforestationParallel Texts Various information texts about the Amazon / deforestation The Explorer – Katherine RundellDrop in Writes Poetry – focus on onomatopoeias within the book Persuasive poster

Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2
Text Driver	Text Driver	Text Driver	Text Driver	Text Driver	Text Driver
Beowulf	Dulce et Decorum Est	Wizarding World – Movie	Harry Potter and the	Horrible History	The Explorer
MICHAEL MORPURGO «BEONULE»	Wilfred Owen Dulce Deccfum Est Marini imps Larrier		Philosopher's Stone J.K.Rowling	ANGRY ADDES Splits, hats and lots of BATS! Windows	KATHERINE RUNDELÜ EXPLORER MARKEN M
Purpose: To entertain	Purpose: To describe			Purpose: To inform	
Audience: Year 5 peers	Audience: Year 5 peers		 Asia in a verific book," The Yooday Tolgcopt 	Audience: Terry Deary	Purpose: To entertain
	Outcome: Powerful,		Purpose: To entertain	(write to him as a	
Outcome: Children to write a Kennings poem about a	emotive performance poetry presentation to	Purpose: To inform	Audience: J.K.Rowling –	suggestion for his next book)	Audience: Year 5 peers
scene from Beowulf e.g.	peers	Audience: Ministry of	new idea for a spin-off		Outcome: Children to
fight scene.		Magic	book.	Outcome: There is	write a scene as a
	Parallel Texts			currently no Horrible	playscript
Parallel Texts	Peace Lily – Hilary	Outcome: Page for the	Outcome: Children to	History book for the	
The Weirdstone of	Robinson	magical encyclopedia.	write their own fantasy	Mayans. Children to	Parallel Texts
Brisingamen – Alan Garner	Where the Poppies Now	Children to create their	story.	pick an aspect of the	The Land of Never Believe
Beowulf: Dragon Slayer –	Grow – Hilary Robinson	own magical object or	Demolie I Territe	Mayans to create their	– Norman Messenger
Rosemary Sutcliff	Other poems by Wilfred	use one that they have	Parallel Texts	information page.	Survivors – David Long
Beowulf - Seamus Heany	Owen	come across in the	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone –		The Lost Book of Adventure – Unknown
DKs Children's Book of	Drop in Writes	books / films e.g.	J.K.Rowling	Parallel Texts	Adventurer
Mythical Beasts and	Drop in Writes Description	lunascope, self-stirring pot.	Fantastic Beasts and		Adventorer
Magical Monsters	Description	poi.	Where to Find Them	Drop in Writes	Drop in Writes
Beowulf – Rob Lloyd Jones		Demolial Teste	Quidditch Through the	Mayan ruins travel	Rainforest setting
Drop in Writes		Parallel Texts Harry Potter and the	Ages	guide	description
Explanation text – how to kill a monster. Character profiling / descriptions.		Philosopher's Stone – J.K.Rowling Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them Quidditch Through the Ages Drop in Writes Instructions on how to use the magical object	Drop in Writes Character descriptions Letter home from Hogwarts Instructions on how to make your own magic potion Diary entry – first few days at Hogwarts	Children need to an understanding of the Mayans before they write. Better suited until they have learnt some information in history.	Write a persuasive speech based on 'The Raft' chapter Write a non-chronological report based on the animals that the children come across. Diary entry for Con

Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3
Text Driver	Text Driver				
Dragonology	Wolf Wilder	-	_	_	
	Will Will Will Rurpose: To inform				
Purpose: To inform	Audience: Year 5 peers				
Audience: Dragonologists Outcome: Children to write their own non- chronological report about their own dragon. Parallel Texts DKs Children's Book of	Outcome: To write an explanation text about how to wild a wolf Parallel Texts The Ways of the Wolf – Smriti Prasadam-Halls Wolf information texts. Drop in Writes				
Mythical Beasts and Magical Monsters Beowulf – Rob Lloyd Jones The Complete Guide to Dragons – AJ Wood Dare to Care: Pet Dragon – Mark Robertson	Information text on Wolves Wolf Poem Wolf description				
Drop in Writes Draw on the text to write an encounter with a dragon. Newspaper report about a dragon sighting					

Learning Journey 4	Learning Journey 4	Learning Journey 4	Learning Journey 4	Learning Journey 4	Learning Journey 4
	Text Driver				
-	The Ultimate	-	-	-	-
	Interplanetary Travel				
	Guide				
	#ULTIMATE				
	Purpose: To inform / To				
	persuade				
	Audience: Adults / future				
	space travellers				
	Outcome: Create a				
	travel book for space				
	based on their own				
	planet they have				
	created.				
	Parallel Texts				
	Range of non-fiction texts				
	about the solar system to				
	help with technical				
	vocabulary				
	Planetarium – Raman				
	Prinja				
	Drop in Writes Character description for				
	their alien creature.				
	Discussion text – should				
	the gov't spend more				
	money on space travel?				
	Children to write a diary				
	entry / letter home to				
	someone that has not				
	visited their planet.				